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FOLLOWING SENT ACTION ALL AFRICAN DIPLOMATIC POSTS, ALGIERS,
CAIRO, TUNIS, RABAT, TRIPOLI, TUNIS, FEB 28, FROM SECSTATE

RPTD TO YOU:

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, OAU

SUBJECT: DAVIS NOMINATION

REFERENCE: COTONOU 274

1. IT HAS COME TO THE DEPARTMENT'S ATTENTION THAT, DURING
DISCUSSION OF NATHANIEL DAVIS' NOMINATION IN OAU COUNCIL
OF MINISTERS IN ADDIS ABABA, SOME SPEAKERS, AMONG THEM
FONMIN LUKE OF SIERRA LEONE, VOICED THEIR UNDERSTANDING THAT
DAVIS HAD BEEN DENIED AGREEMENT BY NIGERIA AND/OR OTHER
AFRICAN GOVERNMENTS WHEN SOUNDED OUT RE HIS ACCEPTABILITY
AS AMBASSADOR.

2. IF THIS SUBJECT IS RAISED BY YOUR HOST GOVERNMENT YOU
ARE AUTHORIZED TO STATE CATEGORICALLY THAT AT NO TIME WAS
NATHANIEL DAVIS NOMINATED FOR ANY AMBASSADORIAL POST
IN AFRICA AND AT NO TIME HAS ANY AFRICAN GOVERNMENT
BEEN SOUNDED OUT REGARDING SUCH AN APPOINTMENT FOR HIM.

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